# CITY OF CORVALLIS

# **COUNCIL POLICY MANUAL**

# POLICY AREA 7 - COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS

## CP 91-7.01 <u>Assessments - Sanitary Sewer and Water System Improvements</u>

#### Adopted 1966

Affirmed 1970

Revised October 7, 1991

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Revised November 7, 2011

## 7.01.010 Purpose

To establish a policy regarding assessment charges for sanitary sewer and water system improvements.

## 7.01.020 Policy

Assessments for sanitary sewers and water systems shall be made on the following basis:

#### 7.01.021 Assessment of Property; City Participation

Properties shall be assessed the cost of installing public sanitary sewer and/or water systems. City participation is limited to extra-capacity components as defined in the System Development Charge (SDC) ordinance, if sewer or water SDC funds are approved for the project by the City Council.

#### 7.01.022 Method of Assessment

The method of assessment shall be either by: frontage, or area, or connection, or potential connection -- or a combination thereof which best represents benefit.

#### 7.01.030 Review and Update

This Community Improvement Policy shall be reviewed by the Public Works Director every 4 years in October and updated as appropriate.